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Applicant: Shigeru Yoshida et al. : Art Unit: 2834
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For: MOTOR ASSEMBLED BY USING MOTOR- :
BASE-HOLDER AND METHOD OF : 37 C.F.R. § 1.116
ASSEMBLING THE SAME MOTOR : EXPEDITED PROCEDURE

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116

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Responsive to the Final Office Action dated **September 11, 2002**, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please replace claim 1 with the following amended claim:

- 1 1. (Twice Amended) A surface mountable motor base, comprising:
- 2 a motor base;
- 3 a bearing supporter extending from said base for supporting a bearing;
- 4 a stator supporter concentric with said bearing supporter for
- 5 supporting a stator; and
- 6 a plurality of terminals for connection to a plurality of windings of said
- 7 stator, respectively, said terminals exposed on a bottom of said motor base and
- 8 extending substantially parallel to said base.